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SPEAKER WITHEM PRESIDING

SPEAKER WITHEM: (Microphone not activated immediately.) ...the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Very please this morning, on our twenty-second legislative day of the Ninety-Fifth Legislature, First Session, to have with us Pastor Lauren Ekdahl, from Trinity United Methodist Church, here in Lincoln. Pastor.

PASTOR EKDAHL: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you very much, Pastor. Members, would you please check in.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Quorum is present. The Legislature now is in session. Mr. Clerk, are there any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Do you have any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Your Committee on...the Executive Board, Chaired by Senator Coordsen, reports LR 10CA and 25CA back to General File with no committee amendments attached. That's all that I have, Mr. President. (See page 568 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. The first item on our agenda is listed under introduction of new bill. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Wehrbein would move to suspend Rule 5, Section 4(e) to permit introduction of a new bill, request 1244.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes, Mr. Speaker and members of the body. This is a request from the Appropriations Committee to introduce a bill to...and I'm passing out the statement of intent so you know. It's a bill that will request that a study be prepared by